

**MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST
DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY FORM**

NR Eligible: yes ☒ **X**
no ☐

Property Name: Zion Methodist Episcopal Church Inventory Number: CAR- 355
Address: Main Street Ext (aka Smithville Road or Old Dento City: Federalsburg Zip Code: _____
County: Caroline USGS Topographic Map: Federalsburg
Owner: Zion ME Church Is the property being evaluated a district? ☐ yes
Tax Parcel Number: 137 Tax Map Number: 200 Tax Account ID Number: 05 025133
Project: _____ Agency: _____
Site visit by MHT staff: ☐ no ☒ **X** yes Name: P. Weissman Date: _____
Is the property is located within a historic district? ☐ yes ☒ **X** no

If the property is within a district District Inventory Number: _____
NR-listed district ☐ yes Eligible district ☐ yes Name of District: _____
Preparer's Recommendation: Contributing resource ☐ yes ☐ no Non-contributing but eligible in another context ☐ yes

If the property is not within a district (or the property is a district) Preparer's Recommendation: Eligible ☒ **X** yes ☐ no

Criteria: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D Considerations: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G ☐ None

Documentation on the property/district is presented in:
Federalsburg historic district file, and copy filed with CAR-285

Description of Property and Eligibility Determination: *(Use continuation sheet if necessary and attach map and photo)*

Zion Methodist Episcopal Church, (Old Denton Road), built in 1931. This frame church, now aluminum sided, has historically served a black congregation. It features stained glass windows, and retains ornamental woodwork in its tower.

The historic resources contained within the Federalsburg Multiple Resource Area (CAR-285) represent aspects of the development resulting from the town's commercial and industrial growth from the mid-19th c. into the early 20th c. Federalsburg, an important Eastern Shore milling, shipbuilding, shipping, and industrial center located at the junction of river, rail, and road routes, experienced its greatest growth in the late 19th c. and early 20th c. This growth is clearly documented in the two districts [CAR-337 & CAR-338] and six individual buildings which have been described...The six individual buildings of National Register quality all have architectural and/or historical significance in Federalsburg's history.
[Taken from P. Weissman, 1980. See form for more]

Prepared by: P. Weissman Date Prepared: 10/16/1980

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Eligibility recommended ☒ **X** Eligibility not recommended ☐
Criteria: ☒ **X** A ☐ B ☒ **X** C ☐ D Considerations: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G ☐ None
MHT Comments

Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services

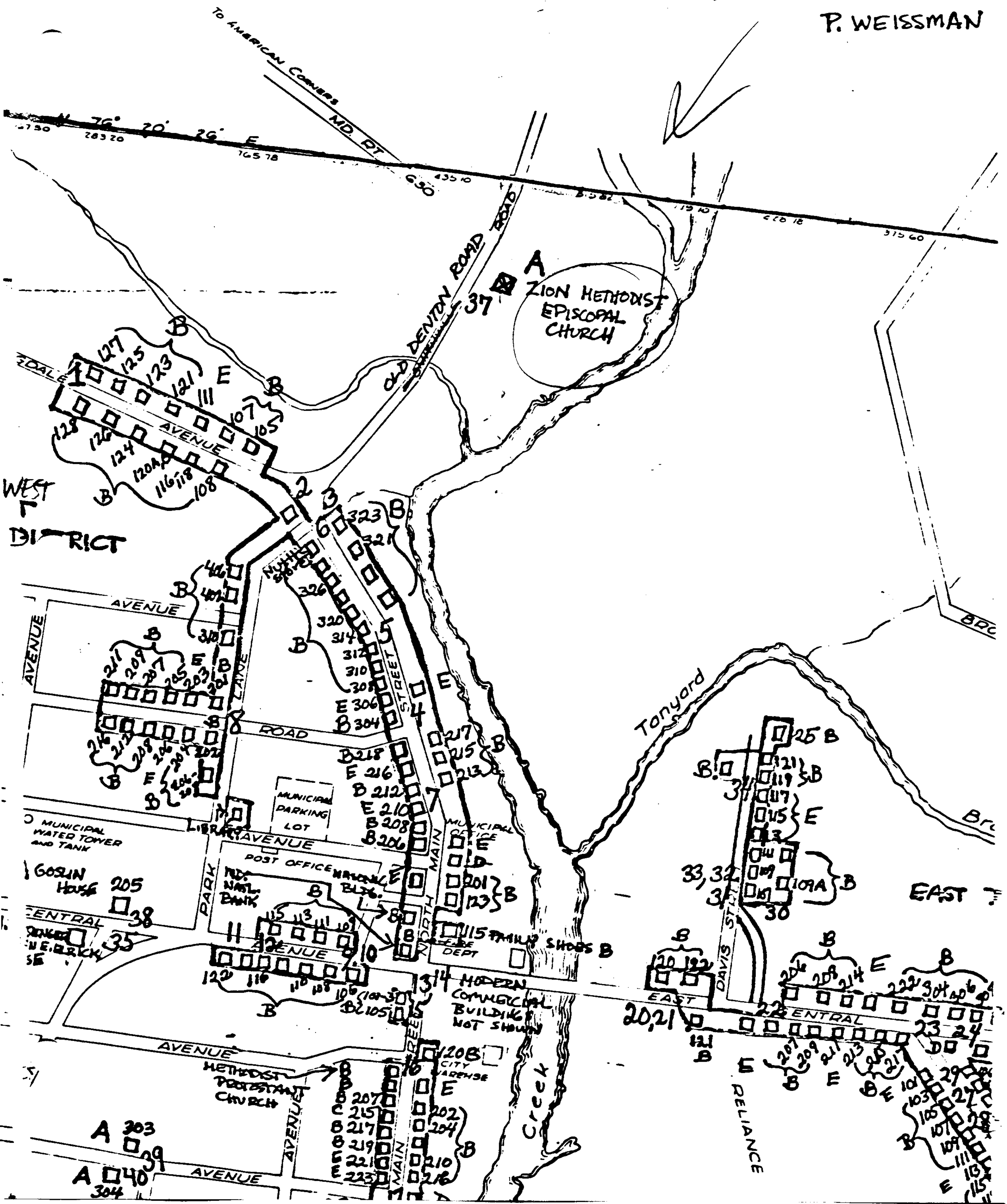

Reviewer, NR Program

Date

9/11/02

Date

P. WEISSMAN



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